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COMMENT OF THE DAY

UN And Korea

THE new ten-week session of the United Nations General Assembly which has just opened promises to be more controversial than any previous meetings. France has given notice that she will strenuously resist any interference by the UN on the question of Morocco and Tunis, and South Africa is equally determined to prevent the United Nations from passing judgment on Dr Malan's Apartheid policy. But overshadowing these issues is the Korea war and whether or not an armistice can be reached. Not even the most enthusiastic supporters of the United Nations can expect anything very positive emerging from a General Assembly discussion on Korea. The pattern of the debate is simple to anticipate. Whatever the line adopted by Mr Dean Acheson as principal spokesman for the United Nations, it is bound to be opposed by the Soviet and Czechoslovakian delegates. They will continue to labour the contention that the presence of United Nations forces in Korea is the reason for the war; that the United States is deliberately "sabotaging" efforts to reach a truce by insisting on the acceptance by the Communists of unacceptable armistice conditions. Allied to these allegations will be typical Soviet propaganda which will endeavour to persuade the world that only Russia and her associates are really interested in and working for peace; that the United States is bent on war and that she is purchasing the affiliation of other nations to her international policies with dollars.

FOR the members of the United Nations who have joined together to resist Communist aggression—in Korea the most important point about the General Assembly debate will be Mr Acheson's presentation of their case. His task is to assure the Assembly and the world generally that while the Allies are determined to hold fast to approved basic principles governing a Korea armistice, the door leading to successful negotiations will be kept open. This is the first opportunity the Assembly has had to discuss openly the principles which have guided the United Nations delegates at the Panmunjom truce negotiations, and it is Mr Acheson's prime responsibility to convince the Assembly members that those principles are well founded and that the armistice terms evolved from them are just. Mr Acheson is fully entitled to embrace the opinion expressed yesterday by Mr Eden that the armistice proposals are "as reasonable and fair as the human mind can devise, and the Communists can accept them with dignity and confidence." A majority approval of these proposals would have the important effect of showing the Communists, and particularly Peking, that world opinion is behind the UN delegates at Panmunjom and that the conditions offered are considered reasonable and fair to both sides. And if Assembly action is confined to an expression of opinion regarding the armistice conditions advanced by the UN delegates and the principles on which they are founded, the way will be left open for their further consideration by the Communists. Undesirable at the moment is any resolution couched in terms which can be interpreted as an ultimatum by the Reds.

First Clashes In UN General Assembly Session

TWO EARLY DECISIONS GO AGAINST RUSSIA

United Nations, Oct. 15.

Russia today indignantly objected to a proposal that would award special citations to United Nations soldiers killed in Korea, but received its first significant defeat of the two-day-old General Assembly.

Mr Andrei Gromyko strenuously objected to consideration of a French plan to award soldiers killed in United Nations service a special citation reading "Died for the United Nations".

He said the Kremlin could not tolerate seeing the flag of the United Nations used "to cover implementation of the United States' aggressive policies in Korea".

The powerful United Nations Steering Committee voted against him 12 to two with Russia and Czechoslovakia against and Egypt abstaining.

The group later dealt Russia its second defeat 12-2 (again with Russia and Czechoslovakia against) on a Communist objection to consideration of an appeal for prompt conclusion of the long-delayed Austrian treaty.

French Union Forces Evacuate Six Outposts

Hanoi, Oct. 15.

French Union forces evacuated six outposts located 90 miles northwest of this Tonkin bastion tonight as the Communist-led Vietminh rebels launched their first major assault of the winter campaign.

Official French sources said evacuation of the outposts, located in the Ngalao basin of the Red River where bitter fighting took place last winter, was a "pre-arranged defence plan" and that the troops were falling back to fortified positions along the Hanoi defence perimeter.

According to front-line dispatches, one of the posts was burned by the rebels. No casualty figures were yet available. The French said the outposts were manned by native "irregular" soldiers.

THREE-FRONTED

Meanwhile, the rebels advanced against Franco-Vietnamese ground forces in two other sectors of Northern Indo-China, near the border of Red China, in what appeared to be a three-fronted operation to drive the French back behind their Tonkin defences.

Enemy pressure was reported against French Union outposts in the Black River valley near Lachau, 180 miles northwest of Hanoi, and at Vayen in the rugged Thai mountain country. Planes throughout Northern Indo-China were hampered by bad weather.

According to French intelligence, the rebels launched their operation from the Red River valley and as far north as Laos on the Vietnam-Chinese border. Enemy strength deployed at the three points was estimated at a full division. Nghia was captured by Franco-Vietnamese troops after a week of bitter see-saw fighting last year, in which the French parachuted in three battalions of tough paratroopers in one of the most sensational operations of the six-year-old war.—United Press.

Not Guilty Of Murder

Newcastle Oct. 15.

The jury at the Newcastle Assizes today found John Henderson, 42, coal miner of Surrey Avenue, Wellend-on-Tyne, not guilty of the murder of his wife, Sarah Ann, at their home on August 3.

They found him guilty of manslaughter and he was sentenced to seven years' imprisonment.

Henderson had told the court that he put hands round his wife's throat to frighten her.—Reuter.

Mr Gromyko's statement was the first blow struck in the climactic Korean debate that is expected to hold the attention of the United Nations throughout its ten-week session.

The American delegate, Mr Ernest Gross, immediately replied that it was unnecessary to name delegates of the "resolute and firm determination with which the United Nations has approached Korean aggression by Communist forces."

The French delegate, M. Henri Hoppenot, told Mr Gromyko—serving as Russian delegate for the first time since the spring of 1949—that France did not consider UN dead in Korea as having "fallen in defence of US aggression but in the service of the United Nations in defence against aggression."

The 15-nation Steering Committee, whose job it is to approve items for inclusion in the agenda, business sheet and allot them to the major committees, took these other significant decisions:

INDIGNANT PROTEST

2. Avoided the expected immediate French-Arab squabble and quickly approved inclusion of the explosive quarrel between the Paris Government and the Nationalist African Republics, protectorates of Tunisia and Morocco. The French delegate contented himself for the moment with registering an indignant protest against accusations that France had violated the United Nations Charter and Declaration of Human Rights by its rule in the two seething areas.

3. Approved a sudden Czech complaint against American action in voting Mutual Security funds for raising refugee units whose job allegedly would be to engage in armed attacks against their native countries behind the Iron Curtain. A similar item was heatedly debated—and the Red complaint overruled—at the Paris Assembly a year ago. Then, as now, the United States offered no objections to debate of the issue.

BOYCOTT PROMISE

United Nations, Oct. 15. France will boycott the United Nations debate on her North African policy, her delegate to the Steering Committee said tonight.

The delegate, M. Henri Hoppenot, said his government could not accept interference in its affairs and "will not take part in any discussion or decision regarding the inclusion of the items in the agenda."

There was no call for a vote and the Steering Committee President, Mr Lester Pearson of Canada, automatically declared the Tunisia and Morocco

can questions included on the General Assembly agenda.

The 15-nation Steering Committee also agreed without a vote to include South Africa's racial policy on the agenda.

South Africa's delegate, Mr C. F. Jooste, protested but did not insist on a vote and the item was then approved.

M. Hoppenot protested "with indignation" against the accusations aimed against France, when the committee was asked to approve inclusion of items dealing with Tunisia and Morocco.

M. Hoppenot declared that the task which France had performed over the past several centuries and the benefits which had accrued to North African territories from her policies "would alone suffice to place France above and beyond such attacks."

He said he did not intend to make a detailed statement against the inclusion of the items on the agenda. The French Government would not accept interference in her affairs and "will not take part in any discussion or decision regarding the inclusion of the items in the agenda."

BRITISH PROPOSAL

The British delegate, Mr Selwyn Lloyd, proposed and the committee agreed to delete from the agenda the question of drafting a code of offences against the peace and security of mankind.

Mr Lloyd said the item was not yet ready for discussion and should be sent first to the International Law Commission.

M. Andrei Gromyko of Russia objected to an item proposed by the Nationalist Chinese delegate on the grounds that the "Kuomintang group" had no right whatever to move any proposals.

The item concerned the translation of a document into Chinese. The committee voted 11 to 2 with two abstentions to include the item.

The committee also decided that the question of an Austrian treaty should be included in the agenda of the General Assembly despite Soviet objections.—Reuter.

Bandit Chief Captured

Singapore, Oct. 15.

The commander-in-chief of the Malay guerrilla army of Malaya, Mohamad bin Indera, with \$775,000 reward on his head, was captured yesterday after an engagement with the Home Guard in a village north of Batu Pahat in Johore.

One of his two bodyguards was killed and the other captured with him. Indera was a high-ranking officer in charge of the Malay section of the Communist terrorist organization covering Batu Pahat, Muar and North Johore, and one of the top-flight Malays in the Malayan Communist Party hierarchy. Since he went underground in 1948, Indera has been notoriously involved in various murders and abductions in the Johore area.

The killing of Indera's bodyguard brought the total number of terrorists killed in Johore since June 1950 to 600, with 93 captured and 112 surrendered.—United Press.

Lightning Rod Man



As part of his "Sermons from Science", a series of scientific demonstrations with Biblical applications, Dr George Speake of Moddy Bible Institute, Chicago, performs this unusual feat. He serves as a "Human Lightning Rod" by climbing on a copper cylinder and permitting more than 1,000,000 volts of electricity to pass through his body, up his arms, and out of his fingers to light a wooden stick aloft. The daring feat raises his temperature to a dangerous 104 degrees. Known as the "Electronic Evangelist" Dr Speake travels with a portable laboratory which he sets up for his electrifying performances. Last year he and a partner toured 20 United States Air Force bases, amazing the G. I.'s from coast to coast with his demonstrations.—London Express.

"HOME GUARDS" TO COMBAT MAU MAU TERRORISTS

Nairobi, Oct. 15.

DOCUMENT 'ALMOST INSULTING'

Sharp Criticism By Lord Chief Justice

London, Oct. 15.

The Lord Chief Justice of England, Lord Goddard, today granted a writ of habeas corpus for Captain Douglas Penn, 36, against whom the Bow Street Magistrate had made an order for extradition to India to answer charges there.

Announcing the immediate issue of the writ, Lord Goddard told Captain Penn, "You are discharged."

Lord Goddard severely criticised the terms of a warrant for Captain Penn's arrest signed by the Assam Magistrate, describing it as "almost an insulting document."

He ordered that the High Commissioner for India should pay the court costs.

The warrant, addressed to the Bow Street Magistrate, stated, "You are hereby directed to arrest the said Captain D.A. Penn and produce him before me. Herein fall not."

UNDIGNIFIED

Lord Goddard asked, "What right has a magistrate in India to issue a warrant to tell the Bow Street Magistrate to do something?"

"It is not consistent with the dignity of the English court to have a document like this flung at it."

Lord Goddard said the court hoped no such document would be sent to England again. But if a warrant were received in such a form he hoped the magistrate would ignore it.

He described the case as "about as unsatisfactory as any that has ever been brought to our attention."

Mr Christmas Humphreys, counsel for the High Commissioner for India, said the warrant really meant to ask the magistrate to endorse it if he thought fit. It was not effective until endorsed.

Offences which had been alleged against Captain Penn in India were "fraudulent conversion, breach of trust as a public servant and breaches of the Indian Arms Act while he was a Sub-Divisional Officer in the Indian Civil Service." Captain Penn denied all the accusations.—Reuter.

Kenya police today began enrolling special "home guards" for night patrol against the "Mau Mau" activities.

The "home guards" will protect lonely farms and scattered homesteads near this capital city of Kenya, where the Mau Mau are reported to have been active.

Two senior officers arrived here today from Uganda to help Kenya's police in their measures against "Mau Mau."

Kenya's Police Commissioner said he hoped to borrow more experienced police reinforcements from other east and central African territories.

Mr Eliud Mathu, leader of the African members in Kenya's Legislative Council, told a Press conference in Nairobi that a one-third pay-increase for the colony's African workers would help to combat Mau Mau terrorism and alleviate the perilous situation.

Calling for such an increase, he said that the effect on Africans would be "terrible. It would reduce crime and thefts."

"At the moment many Africans must steal to live," he said. Desperate people who now had no food and nowhere to sleep would be encouraged to take up work and look to the future. Increased wages and improved conditions would have an effect on the rising tide of Mau Mau, Mr Mathu said.

RECOMMENDATIONS

In a written statement, two African members of the Legislative Council urged the provision of more urban housing for Africans.

"We must go to any length to remedy this well-recognised housing problem," they said. The statement also demanded the creation of senior posts in the administration and the government that capable men were available and prepared to assist the Government "in this very urgent task."

The Queen's Commissioned ranks for Africans in the forces, the building of all weather roads in African areas, strict control of firearms and the removal of restrictions on African meetings, were also recommended.

The African members called for the end of discrimination against Africans in hotels, restaurants and public transport vehicles.

Mr Mathu told reporters no pressure had been put on any African members of the Council by any organisation such as Mau Mau.

The written statement affirmed that the Colony's Africans were firm on their stand against violence in the colony and asked the Government to announce soon the establishment of a consultative body to deal with constitutional reforms.

Mr Mathu alleged that in many places the police had been very unfair in their use of emergency powers recently granted by the Government. There had been cases of Africans being beaten up by the police.—Reuter.

Mossadeh Meeting

Majlis MAY BREAK WITH BRITAIN

Teheran Oct. 15. Dr Mohammed Mossadeh, the Persian Premier, may call for a break with Britain when he meets the Majlis in an extraordinary session tomorrow.

His Foreign Minister, Dr Hussein Fatemi, said the Premier conferred with his advisers today on a new British oil note and he would make a report to the Majlis about it.

Political quarters in Teheran have predicted that Persia would sever relations with Britain if her demands were rejected.

Persia's note, handed to Dr Mossadeh on Tuesday night, was in reply to his recent letter to Britain and America.

Dr Mossadeh by a special bill passed this morning announced punishments of three to 15 years rigorous imprisonment for saboteurs in Persia.

Senator General Zahedi, accused by the Government of complicity in a plot, issued a denial today and offered himself for trial by an impartial national tribunal.

He said Dr Mossadeh had created moral and material chaos in the country by converting the purely internal oil question into an international question. This had led to foreign powers seeking to interfere. He added that Dr Mossadeh's assumption of total powers was unconstitutional.

US APPEAL

Washington, Oct. 15.

A State Department spokesman today called on Britain and Persia to continue their efforts to reach a settlement of the Anglo-Persian oil dispute.

The spokesman, Mr Michael McDermott, made this comment after publication of the latest British note to Persia, which rejected as "unreasonable" Persia's proposal for immediate negotiations to settle the oil dispute.

Mr McDermott added: "The United States Government has been in close consultation with the British and Persian Governments concerning the Persian oil problem for many weeks. The question is considered so important that it is thought (Contd. on back page, col. 2)

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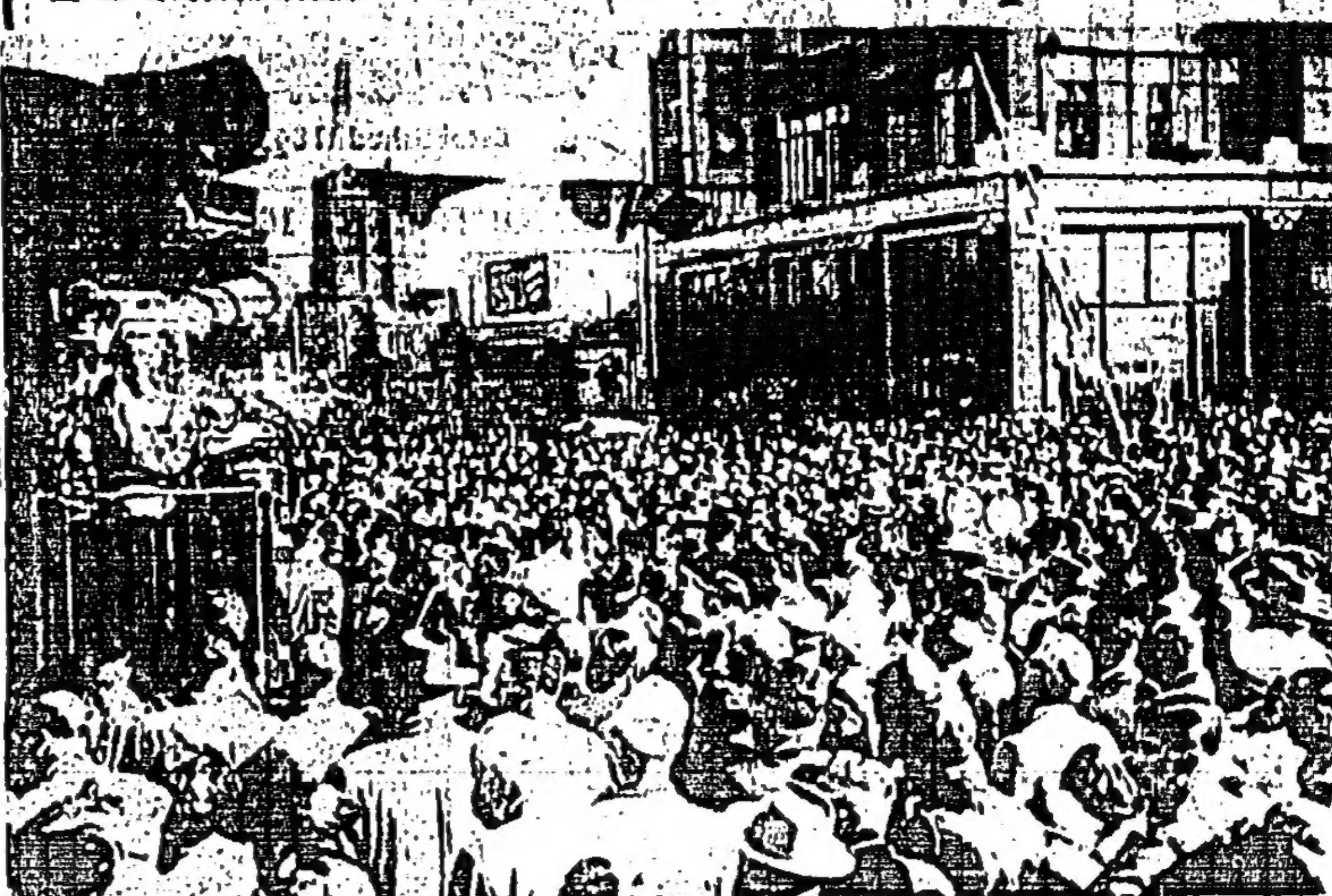
Paris, Oct. 15. American and British senior officers will meet in Malta next Monday to co-ordinate defence efforts of SHAPE's Southern Command and the British Middle East Command, it was announced here today.

U. S. Admiral Robert B. Carney, Commander-in-Chief of Allied Forces in Southern Europe, will lead the delegation of SHAPE officers at the conference. Adm. Carney flew here today from his Naples Headquarters in connection with the meeting.

He will be accompanied in the sessions by officers from his staff representing France, Italy, Greece, Turkey, Britain and the U.S., the member-nations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation (NATO) interested in Mediterranean problems.

They will meet with Britain's General Sir Brian Robertson, Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Sanders, and Admiral Earl Mountbatten at the latter's Malta headquarters.—Associated Press.

President On "Whistle-Stop" Tour



In his speech at Fargo, North Dakota, during his "whistle-stop" tour of the United States in support of his party's presidential candidate, Adlai Stevenson, President Harry Truman (left) lashes the Republican Party. More than 5,000 people gave the President a great welcome at this stop. — Express Photo.

Stevenson Replies To Eisenhower's Argument On Korea

New York, Oct. 15.

The Democratic Presidential candidate, Governor Adlai Stevenson, declared today he would not "play politics with war and peace."

In a speech prepared for various campaign stops in the Pacific northwest region, Mr. Stevenson said: "There is no trick that can end the Korean war — and I am sure Mr. Eisenhower knows this full well."

His Republican rival, he said, had implied that American troops could be brought home from Korea soon "if we would only train some South Korean soldiers to take their places."

Mr. Stevenson's answer was: "Our men are fighting in Korea so they will not have to fight."

Would Need "Vast Bridge Of Ships"

Cleveland, Oct. 15. The United States will need "a vast bridge of ships" in the event of war to carry troops to battle zones, the American Under-Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Francis P. Whitehair, said here last night.

"World War III will not be fought on our shores," he said. Mr. Whitehair called for a bigger shipbuilding programme when he addressed the Shipbuilders' Union. He described as "greatly curtailed" the United Navy programme for the present fiscal year, which calls for 40 new ships and 350 landing craft, and the conversion of four other ships.

With only 51 commercial passenger ships compared with 127 at the beginning of the last war, the United States was now at less than 40 per cent of World War II passenger lifting capacity, Mr. Whitehair said.—Reuter.

Blue Book On Air Incidents

Stockholm, Oct. 15. The Swedish Foreign Ministry today published a 52-page "Blue Book" containing documentary material on the planes incidents over the Baltic in June and the subsequent Swedish-Russian diplomatic exchanges.

Part of the book's English edition was flown earlier to New York for distribution to member States of the United Nations Assembly. The book will be on sale in the country's bookshops tomorrow. A French edition, which is to be issued by the United Nations Secretariat, has not yet been completed.—Reuter.

Twice Caught

Sydney, Oct. 15. A 52-year-old hospital nurse, Gertrude Giersch, has twice gone through the wedding ceremony only to discover each time that her partner was a bigamist. Miss Giersch "married" for the first time when she was a young girl. She had a son, now aged 28, before she found that her "husband" was already married. In 1947, she "married" 63-year-old Alfred Day, believing he was divorced, but later discovered he was not. A Sydney court has awarded her £200 Sterling damages for breach of promise. — Reuter.

AMERICAN ATOM SPIES GIVEN STAY

Washington, Oct. 15.

The Supreme Court today granted a stay to Julius and Ethel Rosenberg, the New York couple sentenced to death for giving atom secrets to Russia. The stay means the sentences cannot be carried out until final Supreme Court action on a petition requesting a rehearing of their appeal.

Such requests for rehearing are rarely granted by the Supreme Court. The High Court refused last Monday to review the case. A petition for rehearing amounts to a request that the Court change its mind and review it. The death sentences on the Rosenbergs was the first imposed in peacetime by a civilian court in America for spying.

Judge Irving Kaufman, in passing sentence on April 15, 1951, told the Rosenbergs that their crime was worse than murder. Mrs. Rosenberg's brother, David Greenglass, who gave State's Evidence and confessed his part in the crime, received a 15-year sentence. Greenglass testified that he stole atom secrets at the Government experimental station at Los Alamos, New Mexico. He turned these over to the Rosenbergs for transmission to the Soviet Union. — Reuter.

Ceylon To Cut Spending

Colombo, Oct. 15.

The Ceylon Government, as a measure of economy, has decided not to open more legations or other forms of overseas representation until finances improve, except for the establishment of a Ceylon Legation in Tokyo. Ceylon's representative to Japan will be appointed shortly. Meanwhile, Tatsuo Ban, Japan's envoy here, said that in the present food crisis, Ceylon should take advantage of the opportunities offered by Japan to train Ceylonese in modern techniques for improving the yield. — United Press.

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King Gustav Adolf of Sweden and Queen Louise arrived recently in Italy on their way to Malta as guests of Admiral Earl Mountbatten, Commander-in-Chief, Mediterranean. Here they are seen as they passed through Milan on their way to Florence. — Express Photo.

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Menzies' Statement

Melbourne, Oct. 15.

Australia's Prime Minister, Mr. Robert Menzies, said here tonight that he took great exception to any suggestion that Britain's exclusion from the ANZUS Pact had impaired Commonwealth relations.

"The Pact provided for Australia's safety and did not weaken her ties with the Commonwealth," he added.

Mr. Menzies was speaking at a rally in support of the Liberal campaign for the Flinders seat in the House of Representatives. A by-election will be held on October 18.

Answering a question, Mr. Menzies said that when he visited London for the Commonwealth Economic Conference in November, he would have talks with Mr. Churchill. There was no suggestion of Australia having strained relations over the ANZUS Pact.

"To suggest I am anti-British, as some notoriously anti-British Labour members have done in the House of Representatives, is a very poor show," he said. — Reuter.

Kenya Indians
End Boycott
Of Council

WARNING TO AFRICANS

Nairobi, Oct. 15.

The East African Indian National Congress today decided to end its nine-month-old boycott of Kenya's Legislative Council, imposed in protest against the introduction of separate voters' rolls for the Muslims and non-Muslims.

Reiterating its strong objection to the principle of separate rolls, the Congress said it would "create divisions in the country and take people further away from the declared Congress goal of a common roll."

It urged the Kenya Government to annul the bill which had brought the measure into force.

But, "in order to co-operate with the Government and other races in the framing of the new constitution which is going to decide the fate of Kenya and of all races residing therein for another 10 or 15 years," the Congress directed its members elected to the Legislative Council to participate in the work of the Council and its committees "immediately."

The Congress passed a resolution warning Africans of "the disastrous results of violence as an instrument of agitation" and registered "its grave concern and anxiety at the serious deterioration in the sense of discipline and respect for law and order amongst certain sections of Africans."

The resolution said the Indian community, knowing the results in India of violent and non-violent agitation for the redress of political grievances, was in a position to warn Africans against it, and to advise them that by such methods they would forfeit the sympathy

and support of liberal forces in the world working for their betterment and progress.

HARM DONE
The Congress feels that recent happenings in this country have caused injury to the cause of Africans as well as to the future of the Colony as a whole," the resolution said.

The Congress felt no useful purpose could be served by forcible imposition of the proposed Central African Federation of Northern and Southern Rhodesia and Nyasaland. It direct opposition to the view of the overwhelming majority of the indigenous population.

It placed on record its "appreciation of, and deep sense of indebtedness to, the heroic struggle now being carried out by the non-European peoples of South Africa against the Apartheid policy."

Other resolutions expressed continued loyalty to the British Crown and welcomed the new Governor of Kenya, Sir Evelyn Baring. — Reuter.

REPLY TO MALAN

New Delhi, Oct. 15.

An External Affairs Ministry spokesman said today the Government of India considered that last night's anti-Indian statement at Johannesburg by Dr. Daniel Malan, the South African Prime Minister, was "deeply false and beneath contempt."

He declined to comment further on the statement, in which Dr. Malan accused India of "interference" in South Africa's affairs.

The Government's Information Service today published a booklet, called "World Opinion on Apartheid," giving extracts from the world press and resolutions condemning racial segregation by such bodies as the British Trades Union Congress and the National Executive Committee of the British Labour Party.

The introduction to the booklet said: "Rarely has world opinion been so unanimous on any issue as it has been in condemning the doctrines of racialism preached by Dr. Malan and his followers."

"Most commentators are inevitably reminded of Hitler's ideas of race supremacy and the penalty the world has to pay for not curbing him in time."

"In South Africa too, once the roads of peaceful change and progress are closed — and they are fast being closed — violence will remain as the only way out." — Reuter.

"COMMON DESTINY"

London, Oct. 15.

The people of South Africa had a strong sense of common destiny with their Portuguese neighbours, the South African Governor-General, Dr. E. G. Jansen, declared here tonight.

He was attending a State banquet given by the Governor-General of Mozambique, General Gabriel Teixeira, in honour of himself and Mrs. Jansen.

Dr. Jansen said the South Africans also had a sense of the great responsibility which they and their Portuguese neighbours shared in the southern part of the African continent.

"To the forefathers of those who are represented here tonight was given the task of bringing Christianity and civilisation to this dark sub-continent," he declared. — Reuter.

Mr. William Proctor, a Labour member, had urged him to make representations to the United States to allow Mr. Chaplin, a British subject, to re-enter without restriction.

Mr. Eden said the United States Attorney-General was reported to have instructed the United States immigration authorities to investigate

whether Mr. Chaplin should be readmitted. So far as he was aware no decision had yet been made known.

The question of British Government representation on the matter therefore did not arise, he added.

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Preparing To Televise The Moon



Alan Hunter, Principal Scientific Officer at the Royal Observatory, Greenwich, prepares for a programme to bring the moon to the television screen. The strange apparatus for the programme has been set up in the form of a rotating mirror called a Coelostat which directs the moon's rays into a fixed telescope by means of mirrors, into the television camera. — Express Photo.

Action On Krupp
Draws Protest
In The Commons

London, Oct. 15.

Labour and Liberal members of Parliament protested in the House of Commons today against the American decision to allow Alfred Krupp to receive almost £50,000,000 in money and property to compensate for breaking up the Krupp industrial empire.

Mr. Kenneth Younger, Minister of State for Foreign Affairs in the Labour Government, and the Liberal leader, Mr. Clement Davies, said the action had shocked people everywhere.

Mr. Davies said Krupp had been found guilty of using slave labour and taking other people's property.

"Could not some of it be diverted to those who suffered?" he asked.

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, said it was the Labour Government which handed Krupp over to the American authorities in 1946 for trial.

"I do not think there is any action we can take now except to try and see this situation does not arise again," he said.

The Foreign Secretary added that compensation was being

paid under an Allied High Commission law made as long ago as 1950 in the Labour Government's term of office.

SEEKING TO ENSURE
Needless to say, the money would be drawn from German sources, he said.

He added: "As to the future we are seeking to ensure that Krupp shall not be allowed to use the proceeds of the sale of the holdings to buy his way back into the coal and steel industry or otherwise to acquire a controlling interest."

"The means of achieving this end is under discussion in Germany between the High Commission and the Federal Government."

Mr. Eric Fletcher, Labour member, suggested that the American High Commission did not confirm the sentence of confiscation of Krupp's property because the Allies would have had to divide the assets with Soviet Russia.

Mr. Eden replied that he was not sure of that. — Reuter.

Turk Premier
At Palace

London, Oct. 15.

Queen Elizabeth II gave an audience to the Turkish Prime Minister, Mr. Adnan Menderes, and the Foreign Minister, Mr. Fuad Koprulu, at Buckingham Palace today.

The Turkish statesmen, who arrived here by air from Istanbul on Monday on a week's official visit to Britain, later went to the House of Commons, where they met the Speaker, Mr. William Morrison.

The Turkish Ministers will on Thursday begin policy talks with British Ministers on defence problems relating to the Atlantic Pact and the proposed Middle East Defence command.

The Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, gave a dinner tonight in honour of Mr. Menderes and Mr. Koprulu, who will fly back to Istanbul on Saturday night. — Reuter.

Indian Envoy At
The Kremlin

Moscow, Oct. 15.

The Acting Minister of Foreign Affairs, M. Gregory M. Pushkin, today received India's new Ambassador, Mr. K. P. S. Menon.

Mr. Menon paid his first call at the Foreign Ministry to arrange for his presentation of credentials at the Kremlin. — Reuter.

Commons Statement On Chaplin Case

London, Oct. 15.

The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Anthony Eden, told the House of Commons today that as no action at the moment has been taken to prevent Mr. Charlie Chaplin from returning to the United States, the British Government could do nothing in the matter.

Mr. William Proctor, a Labour member, had urged him to make representations to the United States to allow Mr. Chaplin, a British subject, to re-enter without restriction.

Mr. Eden said the United States Attorney-General was reported to have instructed the United States immigration authorities to investigate

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General's
Attack On
Mossadegh"Endangering Iran's
Security"

Teheran, Oct. 15.

General Fazollah Zahedi today denied Government charges that he plotted against the State, and countered that Premier Mohammed Mossadegh's policies were endangering the security of Iran.

General Zahedi — a Senator who has often been mentioned as an aspirant for the Premiership — made his denial in a lengthy statement read in the Senate and published in the anti-Communist newspaper *Dad*.

The General accused Dr. Mossadegh of creating insecurity and violating the Constitution. He implied that the security forces were so weakened that a Communist uprising would be easy.

General Zahedi declared that charges that he had plotted with a Foreign Embassy against the interests of Iran were made for personal and political reasons. He called on Ayatollah Kashani, Speaker of the Majlis (Lower House) and a power behind the Government, to bear witness to his patriotism.

EMPTY PROPAGANDA

The Government announced on Monday that it had smashed a foreign-backed plot against the Government with the arrest of four men. It also named General Zahedi and threw a police guard around his house. As a Senator, he is immune from arrest.

Senate colleagues said that General Zahedi, in reading his statement to the Senate, turned down his criticisms of Dr. Mossadegh considerably. The reason was that he had learned the Government does not plan to ask that his immunity be lifted.

As published by *Dad*, however, General Zahedi charged that Iran had gained nothing from Dr. Mossadegh's regime except poverty, unemployment, and the violation of personal honour, life and property.

"Instead of security and comfort, he has handed out every day empty propaganda and hoarding," the Senator declared. — Associated Press.

US Preparing
Test Of
Atomic Gun

Aberdeen, Maryland, Oct. 15.

The U. S. Army acknowledged today it is getting ready to fire the first "live" atomic gun. It is a big 280-millimetre, all-purpose gun.

At a public showing of the gun, the Secretary of the Army, Frank Pace, was asked by newsmen whether the Army has ammunition to fit the gun and whether it has been fired.

Mr. Pace replied: "It's not been fired but you will be advised when it is ready to be fired."

He said that while actual atomic ammunition has not been shot from the gun, a projectile capable of taking a nuclear fission charge had been fired. — Associated Press.

HIGHER FEES
UNPOPULAR

Vienna, Oct. 15.

More than 2,000 Vienna University students staged a series of demonstrations in the capital's busiest streets yesterday against proposed increases in tuition fees.

Refusal of students to register a week ago caused the University to postpone registration for the winter term until Oct. 20. Fees have been raised from 100 to 300 schillings for a term in the Philosophy department. The increase is greater in the Sciences. — Associated Press.

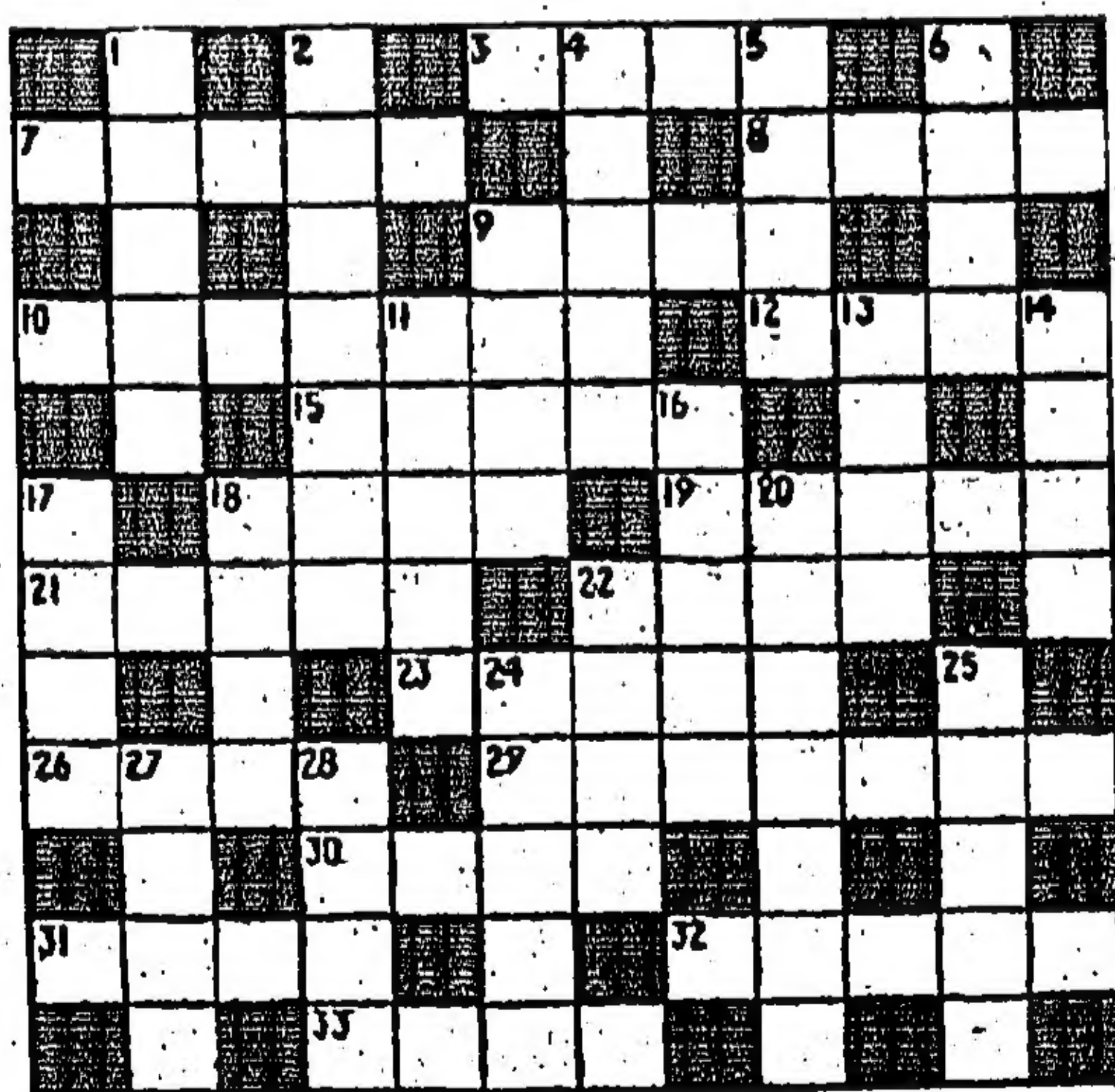
SYSTEM TO BE
ENFORCED

Karachi, Oct. 15.

The passport system between India and Pakistan will be enforced on the Pakistani side from October 17, it was announced in Dacca last night.

The decision was taken following a conference between the Prime Minister, Khrushchev, and the Ministers of Interior and Minorities. — France-Press.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 3 Transparent mineral (4).
- 7 Narrative (5).
- 8 Walk heavily (4).
- 9 Wise (4).
- 10 Stubbom (7).
- 12 Break off (4).
- 16 Type of window (5).
- 18 Cense (4).
- 19 Eyo (5).
- 21 Attempts (5).
- 22 Minute passage (4).
- 23 Rub out (5).
- 24 Used in lawn tennis (4).
- 29 Built (7).
- 30 Wash (7).
- 31 Duty list (4).
- 32 Savoury jelly (6).
- 33 Fitting (4).

DOWN

- 1 Read attentively (5).
- 2 Advance (7).
- 4 In a rage (5).
- 5 Mammals (4).
- 6 American State (4).
- 11 Cut (4).
- 13 Came up (5).
- 14 Short letter (4).
- 15 Tool (4).
- 16 Slack (5).
- 17 Stupefy (4).
- 18 Sediment (4).
- 20 Exact (7).
- 22 Peel (4).
- 24 Stage show (5).
- 25 Send (6).
- 27 Black (4).
- 28 Shut noisily (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD: Across: 1. Aftaid, 7. Agog, 9. Alert, 10. Value, 11. Time, 13. Distracted, 15. Boast, 16. Evan, 19. Despondent, 22. Doom, 24. Groed, 25. Janus, 26. Glen, 27. Steady, Down: 2. Frees, 3. Allier, 4. Device, 5. Falttered, 6. Poem, 8. Gulse, 12. Egrot, 13. Dread, 14. Tenement, 17. Adore, 18. Spades, 20. Noise, 21. Boord, 23. Ogle.

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Just one year afterwards the truth comes out— MORRISON WANTED TO USE FORCE

By IAN COLVIN

IT was one year ago that Britain lost the immensely valuable oil refineries in Abadan. I will now tell you, for the first time, the astonishing story of how that shocking abandonment came to happen.

The facts I will state were given to me at Morecombe. Let us go back to March 9, 1951. On that day Mr. Herbert Morrison became Foreign Secretary. Two days earlier, Razmara, the Persian Prime Minister, had been murdered.

The Persian Oil Commission had already demanded nationalisation of Persia's oil.

Within a week the Senate in Tehran voted for nationalisation.

Serious rioting followed in Southern Persia. Three British engineers were killed by the mob.

On April 13 Mr. Morrison told the House of Commons: "We reserve the right to act as we see fit to protect British lives and property."

But after that date the word "property" faded out of Mr. Morrison's vocabulary. Why?

The Socialist Cabinet knew, as all the country knew, that the only guarantee of a fair settlement with Persia was for Britain to hold the oil refineries, if necessary by force.

The Socialists did, in fact, discuss possible military operations in Persia on several occasions.

What was the line-up? Mr. Morrison was the strong-arm man; he was ready to use force. Mr. Shinwell, Minister of Defence, was not squeamish either.

intervention. They feared American reaction.

And the Chiefs of Staff Committee gave their stock advice to the Cabinet. Any military operation must be fully mounted and capable of being followed up.

A frigate swung into Abadan would not be enough, they said. There must be two divisions handy. They did not like to go in without American backing.

In the summer the oil crisis took on a startling likeness to Munich. The Cabinet finally decided to begin the withdrawal of women and children from Abadan.

At least one Minister protested against this step. He said it weakened Britain's bargaining power because it seemed to foreshadow a complete withdrawal.

Mr. Stokes loves Mossadegh. The words are still visible today. At one moment it seemed that the Stokes approach was paying off.

An agreement was reached between him and Mossadegh. The agreement lasted just 24 hours.

Then Kashani, leader of the Persian nationalists, vetoed it, finger was on the trigger.

Mr. Stokes likes Mossadegh very much. He still thinks that a business man's approach could get our oil back.

In the end the Socialist Cabinet decided on the Asquithian policy—"wait and see."

The British Ambassador in Persia assured them that Mossadegh was on the brink of falling. They hoped that by hanging on they would retain their hold on Abadan—without force.

Should Mr. Morrison have offered to resign? Had he done so, his reputation as a statesman would have been secure.

But at Morecombe all he would tell me was that the Cabinet reached unanimity. He would not discuss differences of opinion.

Mr. Morrison in that moment of crisis was too good

for Baring Brothers, bankers. In the same manner, his father left the L.C.S. on loan from the Government of India, when he started his great career in Egypt.

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The Chancellor's advice

AMONG those who put forward the drawback to such action was Mr. Hugh Galsworthy.

As Chancellor of the Exchequer, he was sensitive to possible reaction in America against any action which could be described as "British Imperialism."

As a former Fuel Minister he could also describe the immense dangers of losing a quarter of British oil supplies overnight.

Over weeks the Socialist leaders argued the problem. They were ready to consider almost any proposal to safeguard British oil.

Huge bribes were privately suggested to grease Persian palms. The sum of £2,000,000 was mentioned. But the Treasury objected.

One Minister even considered how to engineer a clash with the Persian mob. Premier Attlee was against such adventures.

The views of the Tory leaders were sought.

Mr. Churchill was ready to give full support for strong action, if it was taken before it was too late.

But the Socialist Ministers who opposed force finally won. Mossadegh knew then "where the day."

They feared an outbreak of Communism in Persia. They feared the possibility of Russian



SIR Evelyn Baring, son of Lord Cromer of Egypt, fame, was born into the tradition of service for the Empire. In many ways his career has followed the lines of his famous father's.

From Winchester and New College, Oxford, he went into the Indian Civil Service, where his father had distinguished himself before him.

At the early age of 24 he first attracted public attention by displaying courage and resource in dealing with a disturbance at Meerut.

In 1929 he became Secretary to the Agent of the Government of India in South Africa.

But he was no hide-bound careerist. In 1934 he chose to retire to join the family business

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By HAZEL MAY

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wand? Newfoundlanders have rarely seen a man surer of himself and his mission.

Altogether, this exciting week for Newfoundland. The Sunday Herald says: "The next seven days may well be the most fateful in the recent history of Newfoundland."

That, I think, is rushing things a bit; but the exuberance and enthusiasm of the Premier are infectious.

Fitting honour LAST week was important to Newfoundland and St. John's for another reason. Lord Rothermere was installed as Chancellor of the Memorial University here.

Newfoundlanders have not forgotten what they owe to the Harmsworth family and the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, which Harmsworth founded at Grand Falls. They think it completely fitting that Lord Rothermere should be the first Chancellor.

So for St. John's it was gala week. The cradle Colony of the British Empire is rocking.

The Americans, of course, are assisting. The Yanks are here and in force.

Big spenders ALMOST everyone I have met has told me: "The Americans could not have behaved better—they are a credit to the U.S." The Americans are particularly popular with the local girls and the local merchants. They are spending their money with reckless extravagance all around the town. The air base at Fort Fanning, on the outskirts of St. John's, is pumping money into the capital at a rate of \$6,000,000 a year.

More American money has flowed into the island from the American naval base at Argentia.

On Water Street, St. John's, shopping thoroughfare, big American cars are lined up and business booms.

In fact, the boom is so buoyant that there is a housing shortage and a hotel shortage. I am staying at the Newfoundland Hotel.

Everyone tells me I was lucky to get a room, and I think I was. I have never had such prodigious meals at such small cost since before the war. A seven-course dinner costs \$2—half the New York or Montreal price.

Guiding spirit I AM surprised Alfred Valdiman has not concerned himself with these prices and arranged for their adjustment. Mr. Valdiman is a rugged Scot, a Communist-occupied Latvia, and he receives \$25,000 (almost £10,000) per year as Newfoundland's Director-General of Economic Development.

Mr. Smallwood pays Valdiman two and a half times his own salary because he thinks he is worth it. It is Valdiman, aged 43, who is expected to produce the golden eggs.

He says: "It's a damn bad thing for the Government to be in business." But even so the Government built three sample factories under his guidance to show the world Newfoundland's industrial potential. Now the Smallwood-Valdiman Plan is to induce big British firms to invest capital here and reap profits for the firms and Newfoundland. I hope they succeed.

This is a rich island—rich in iron ore, rich in timber, water power, lead, zinc, copper, and, perhaps, oil. It is particularly rich in character.

Big business PREMIER SMALLWOOD returned from a two-month tour of Europe the other day. He was beaming and bounding when he got off the plane, and he is beaming and bounding now.

Last week-end representatives of the Rothschild Banking House, the Anglo-Newfoundland Development Company, and the Anglo-American Corporation of South Africa, Bowater Newfoundland Pulp and Paper Mills, the English Electric Company, Frobisher Ltd., and the Rio Tinto Company arrived here to explore the possibilities of investment and development in Labrador's vast resources of timber, water power, and minerals. The super salesman, Joe Smallwood, had persuaded them to come here.

He has suggested the formation of a \$2,000,000 syndicate for exploration alone and talks grandly of a \$500,000,000 to \$1,000,000,000 capital investment ultimately.

It would not surprise me in the least if Smallwood gets what he wants. He has had the habit in recent years.

It was Smallwood who put over the confederation with Canada, and it is Smallwood who is determined to industrialise Newfoundland and end the reliance on cod and newsprint.

I have met the Premier at a number of functions and have

Even today the British Government has not been told exactly what passed between Mossadegh and Mr. McGhee.

Not one of the ex-Ministers with whom I have talked has criticised American action during these vital days.

Not even Mr. Morrison, who is only now beginning to retrieve the reputation he lost over Persia, would criticise the State Department's intervention.

But I say this: When the next upheaval occurs in Persia or the Middle East, Britain and America should not pursue separate diplomacy again.

He had inherited his father's vitality and zest, and this, combined with a definite "presence"—he was 6 feet 2, good-looking, and possessed charm of manner—gave him all the social attributes of a successful governor.

To this he added qualities infinitely more important. He had a quick, alert mind, which could assimilate and sum up a situation in a short time. He had a genius for grasping the essentials of a problem, and avoiding the by-paths of official thought.

He was a man, too, who was both approachable and sensitive. He had a gift of inspiring confidence. He spoke quietly; his manner was gentle, friendly, unobtrusive. His eyes were frank and blue. Sincerity was in the keynote—and it was not a false impression.

Another characteristic of his nature is his determination to go out and see things for himself. He lives rough on these safaris, treks over hundreds of miles of country, to get the feel of things. When he left South Africa he made a farewell three-week trip through the vast Kalahari Desert in Seretse's territory.

He also takes an interest in schemes which are normally the concern of specialised departments of Government, as, for example, the big project to combat soil erosion which was successfully carried out in Basutoland.

The Baring family have three children—a son, Charles, 14, who is at Eton; and two daughters, Katherine and Elizabeth, who are also at school in England.

Sir Evelyn was appointed Governor of Kenya in 1951, and is now in the process of leaving for his new post.

He is a man of many talents and a great deal of energy. He is a man who is not afraid to get his hands dirty.

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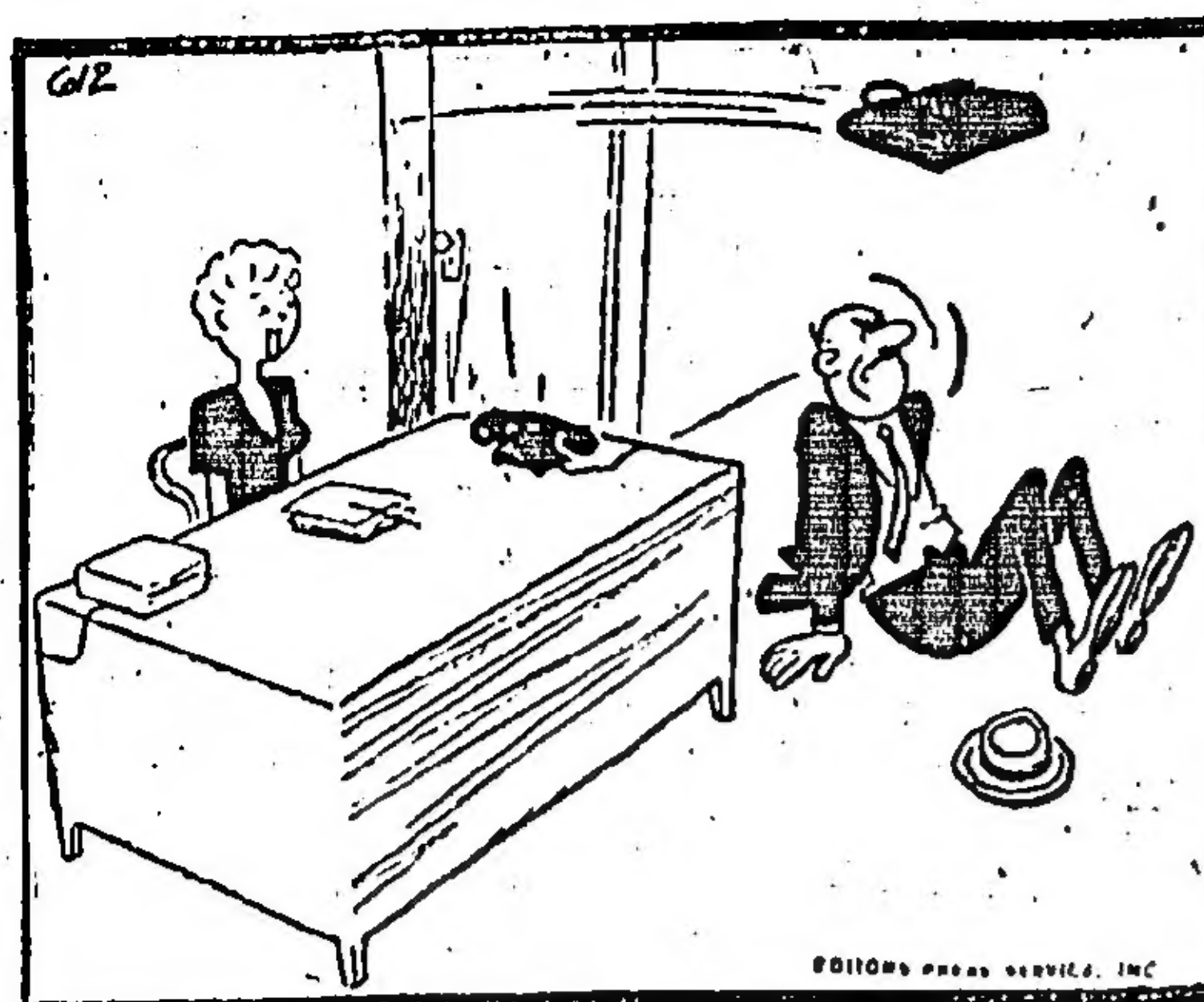
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"Isn't he in wonderful shape for a man of sixty-one?"

• BY THE WAY • by Beachcomber

YESTERDAY Ikka Maw Bat At was conducted round the soap factory at Wivenham. A computer handed him a lump of yellow soap to inspect.

The magnate took a hefty bite, rolled his eyes, and shouted "cheerful!" They told him it was for washing, not for eating, and he asked to see it washed. Lunch was then served, and to show that he understood his mistake the magnate scrubbed his hands laughingly with a piece of cheese.

And to say all of us

A BOY SCOUT who dropped plums from the tower of a church on a minor canon did not attempt to claim that this was the tower for the day. He was afterwards tried by a Scout court, and sentenced to stand under a tree while Scouts dropped plums on him. The potatoes were uncooked and therefore inedible. He should have mounted the tower again and dropped the potatoes on the minor canon. Then they might have stood him under a tree and dropped delicious plums on him, thus combining Scout justice with good deeds.

Sport

"WE" must broaden our outlook on sport before the Melbourne Game of 1953," says a letter writer. Yes, we must start training this very moment, and we must appoint a Sports Ministry, with power to inspect anyone who breaks training rules. The athletes must satisfy a board of inspectors that they are not taking up any particular sport

YOUR BIRTHDAY... By STELLA

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

BORN today, you are the artistic type and this will express itself in your love of art, music and literature. You will, no doubt, have some definite talent, yourself, which if developed can make you outstanding. But, first, you must discover your own talent. You must also work hard to bring it out to its fullest bloom. It is often said: "It is about one half inspiration and the other half perspiration — from hard work!"

You have a kindly and sympathetic nature and are eager to help all those who appear less fortunate than yourself. At times you are much too generous. You would go without, yourself, if it meant that someone you loved might have more. Not always practical, you must learn to figure

out your budget a little more carefully. You are a little more of a family in your life. Pay a little more attention to the unpleasant, hard, practical facts of earning a living. You are a little more of a family in your life. Pay a little more attention to the unpleasant, hard, practical facts of earning a living.

You have a magnetic personality and are attractive to members of the opposite sex. When you wed, select someone who has some of the worldly-wise qualities which you seem to lack and you will make a highly successful team.

To find what the stars have in store for tomorrow, select your birthday star and read the corresponding paragraph. Let your birthday star be your daily guide.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

LIBRA (Sept. 24-Oct. 23)—If you have given offence by making a critical remark, now is a good time to apologise for it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—Emotions and business affairs never mix. Don't try the impossible, especially today.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—Don't get into an argument, especially with your "better half." It could happen; don't let it.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—You can get a lot of work done today if you will just keep your nose right down to the grindstone.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—This is not a good time to make important decisions. Stall along and postpone them if you can.

PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 20)—Don't let others with a less serious purpose distract you from your major objective.

ARIES (Mar. 21-Apr. 20)—Odd jobs around the house; painting, hatching, fixing things and the like, are advocated for this day.

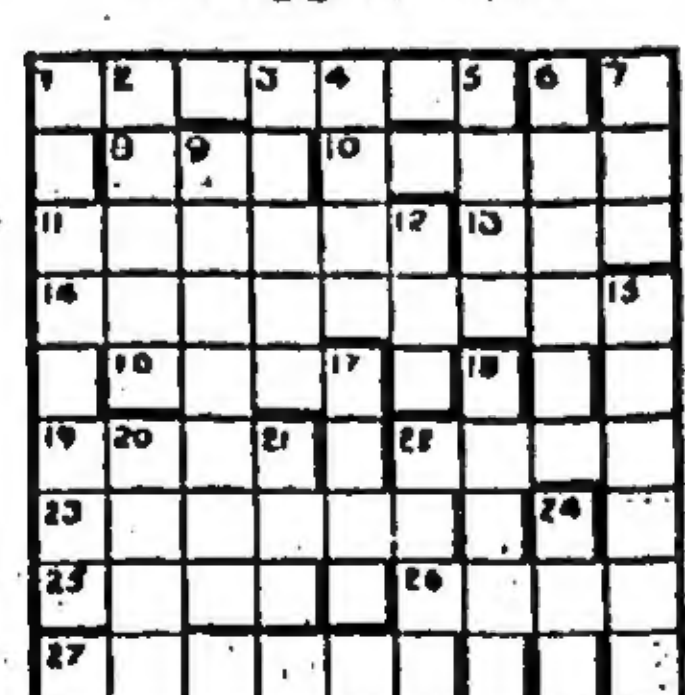
Taurus (Apr. 21-May 21)—If you expect the proper credit. Otherwise, don't feel hurt if you are ignored!

GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—The caprices of an older friend or relative may prove irksome. Be diplomatic and concede a few points!

DUMB-BELLS



CROSSWORD



Across
1. Here I X, upside my son. (7)
2. Three-quarters of a chicken. (3)
3. Rome twice the sheet. (5)
4. At least, it's unusual. (6)
5. Daily suggests one at the fair. (4)
6. Water-worn depression. (4)
7. April in solid shape. (4)
8. Excuse for a loop. (4)
9. Pines could be nice. (5)
10. A reformed ome. (4)
11. Periodic payment of rent. (4)
12. As with the following us back. (6)
Down
1. Order of succession. (3)
2. Centurians may be in heart. (5)
3. Hard-hearted she will veil nothing. (6)
4. Not the smallest part. (4)
5. A7 follows her could be a slander. (6)
6. Act. (6)
7. The RT is seen underground. (4)
8. Case a few 10 for 7. (3)
9. See 12. (4)
10. A line in another one. (4)
11. Lucia. (4)
12. And grace. (4)
13. A star lion. (3)
14. Spectacular payment of rent. (4)
15. Extreme opposite to a. (3)
Solution of yesterday's puzzle—Across
1. Lamb. 2. Lamb. 3. Lamb. 4. Lamb. 5. Lamb. 6. Lamb. 7. Lamb. 8. Lamb. 9. Lamb. 10. Lamb. 11. Lamb. 12. Lamb. 13. Lamb. 14. Lamb. 15. Lamb. 16. Lamb. 17. Lamb. 18. Lamb. 19. Lamb. 20. Lamb. 21. Lamb. 22. Lamb. 23. Lamb. 24. Lamb. 25. Lamb. 26. Lamb. 27. Lamb.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

Real Answer Isn't Always Easily Found

By OSWALD JACOBY

HOW would you play the South hand at six hearts against the opening lead of the three of diamonds? Suppose you try it with all of the cards in sight. The answer will not be easy to find.

When this hand was actually played, Ruth Sherman, one of the country's bridge stars, managed to make her contract even though she could see only her own hand and the dummy. The bidding and the opening lead, however, located all the important cards for her.

It was clear, to begin with, that West had led a singleton diamond. This meant that East had three diamonds in addition to a seven-card or longer spade suit.

Armed with this information Miss Sherman managed to find the winning line of play. She won the first trick in dummy with the ace of diamonds and drew trumps with the ace and queen.

She continued by cashing the top spade and ruffing a spade, after

NORTH		25
AK5		
QJ873		
A76		
3		
WEST		
Q63		
42		
3		
QJ87542		
SOUTH		
AK10		
AKJ98		
108542		
AK3		
Both sides vul.		
East	South	West
34	4	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening lead—4♦		

which she cashed the ace and king of clubs, followed by a low club.

Dummy discarded the six of diamonds on the second round of clubs—and the seven of diamonds on the third round of clubs.

West had to win this trick and had to lead another club for lack of anything else. This enabled dummy to discard the last diamond, while dummy's ruff was of course, very easy.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Q—The bidding has been:

North	East	South	West
3 N.T.	Pass	3 Spades	Pass
3 N.T.	Pass	3 Spades	Pass

You, South, hold: Spades K-J-9-7-3, Hearts K-Q-8-7-4, Diamond 8, Clubs 6-3. What do you do?

A—Bid five hearts. There is a slim at one of the major suits if your partner has a fit in one of the suits together with at least three aces. Your bidding makes it clear that you need more than a family, you must consider them.

With slightly greater strength (about an extra queen) you would jump to six hearts rather than the invitational five hearts.

TODAY'S QUESTION

The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold: Spades K-J-9-7-3, Hearts K-Q-8-7-4, Diamonds K-8-7, Clubs 6-3. What do you do?

Answer: Tomorrow

CHESS PROBLEM

By O. STOCCHI

Black, 3 pieces.



White, 8 pieces.

White to play: mate in two.

Solution to yesterday's problem:

1. B-K13, 1... R-Q4, B-Q4;

2. Kt-K3; 1... R-Q4, B-Q4;

or Kt any; 2. Q-Q8(ch).

INTELLIGENCE TEST

DYNAMO

By T. O. HARE

DYNAMO and his friend are Gearbox, both of them are motorcars. They set out last Sunday, at the same time, to drive from Stillwater to Currants, a distance of thirty miles. Gearbox did the first ten miles at a uniform speed of twenty miles per hour, and the next ten miles at a uniform speed of twenty per cent; and did the last ten miles at a speed twenty per cent faster than that of the second ten. DYNAMO, who also drove ten miles at a uniform speed for ten miles, increased his speed for the second ten miles by fifty per cent. The third ten miles he covered at twice the rate of the first ten, and rapidly overhauling Gearbox, finished the informal "race" about a mile.

How far was DYNAMO from Stillwater when Gearbox had covered seven miles?

(Solution on Page 10)

WOMANSENSE

How To Bake A Good Cake In A Poor Oven

HERE ARE a few pointers on how to bake cake in a poor oven:

1. Ovens with no heat-control often get too hot. If necessary, the oven may be cooled quickly by putting a pan of cold water into it.

2. If cake appears to be browning too rapidly, reduce the heat and cover the cake with a sheet of brown paper.

3. If the oven is not level, experiment with an empty cake pan to try to make the pan stand level. Often the edge of an asbestos mat will be just enough to level the pan.

Cake That Cracks

4. A cake which "cracks open" during the baking indicates that too much flour has been used, or that it has been baked in too hot an oven, and therefore browns before it rises to its fullest height.

5. A coarse-textured cake denotes the use of too much baking powder or of insufficient beating.

6. A cake which falls after baking indicates too little flour, too much shortening, or removing before thoroughly baked.

7. A cake is done when it is golden brown in colour, springs back when touched with the finger, and when a toothpick is inserted in the centre comes out clean.

DINNER

Chilled Vegetable Juice
Chili Con Carne, Heated Rolls
Baked Spinach, Braised Carrots
Raisin Loaf Cake
Hot or Iced Coffee or Tea Milk

All Measurements Are Level

Recipes Serve Four

Baked Spinach

To 2 lbs. chopped spinach cooked in its own juice, add 2 tsp. butter or margarine; sprinkle in 2 tsp. enriched flour. Slowly stir in 1 c. whole milk. Add 1/2 tsp. nutmeg, and salt and pepper to taste. Transfer to a buttered or margined shallow qt.-size baking dish. Top with 1/2 c. grated sharp American cheese. Brown in a hot oven, 400 F.

Raisin Loaf Cake

Stir 1/2 c. margarine or shortening until creamy. Mix in 1 c. sugar, 1 well-beaten egg, 1/2 tsp. nutmeg and 1/4 tsp. salt. Sift together 2 c. already-sifted enriched flour, 1/4 tsp. baking soda and 1 1/2 tsp. baking powder. Stir in 1/2 c. raisins. Add alternately to

Wise Selection



By ALICE ALDEN

HANDSOME indeed, and so dainty, indeed, are the late summer cottons designed for dressy wear, as is this smart and useful costume.

The fabric is an organ and cotton mixture, with the dress handled on simple but effective lines marked by a sweep of the skirt and a charming self-strapped bodice. Banded white embroidery in an intricate design marks the deep, rounded neckline. To top it off there is an around-the-day bolero with a rounded, cutaway line.

the first mixture with 3/4 c. sour-milk or buttermilk. Dot the top with 1/4 c. raisins. Transfer to an oiled shallow 7" x 11" loaf cake pan. Bake 35 min. in a moderate oven, 350-375 °F.

Suggestion of the Chef

When braising carrots, cook in boiling water 1 inch in depth which contains 1 beef bouillon cube.

Treating Oily Skin And Oily Hair

By HELEN FOLLETT

THERE are twin beauty greifs that go hand in hand—oily skin and oily hair. Sebaceous glands don't care where they pour out their lubricating fluids and often are much too generous with them. It is bad enough to have one's nose shining like a peacock's tail but to have one's glorious halo looking as if it had been beasted with lard is just too, too much.

Frequent shampooing never harmed anybody's tresses. A thorough overhauling with plenty of friction has a favourable effect upon the scalp because it keeps the tissues from tightening, huddles up blood streams that may be lazy. For oily hair a weekly shampoo is almost a must.

Marvellous Mediums

Marvellous shampoo mediums are available these days. There are cleansing agents especially for oily hair. The oils should read labels carefully when they go to purchase a shampoo.

Some buyers seem to fancy that cream shampoos are not for oily hair but that is a mistake. Creamy products are easily applied. Dip your fingers in the jar, bring out a tablespoonful of the fragrant substance and rub it into hair that has been conditioned with a warm rinsing. You can use the bath spray for this purpose. Wash bowl redheads seldom have really clean locks. You can't rinse away liquid soap or the cream either by dunking your head in a bowl.

Short hair will do with two shampoo applications, each one followed by a rinsing. If the hair is thick, falls down over the shoulders, a third lathering is necessary. If there is the slightest suggestion of grey substance on comb or brush you can know that you have done a poor job.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

Mr. Punch's Letter To Judy

—He Wrote It on Ice, and in the Summer, Too!

By MAX TRELL

"WHERE I come from," Mr. Punch was saying to Knart and Hanid, the shadow children with the turned-about names, "we could go ice-skating in the middle of the summer."

"Ice-skating in the middle of the summer?" Hanid exclaimed. "Ice melts in the middle of the summer," Knart shouted. "It becomes water! You can't skate on water!"

"Did you live at the North Pole, Mr. Punch?" asked Hanid.

Not At The North Pole

Mr. Punch shook his head. "No, my dear, I didn't live at the North Pole. But I did live in such a cold place that when the ice froze in the winter time, it stayed frozen until the next winter. That was very convenient for all of us children. It meant we were able to go ice-skating all year long. And there is nothing more delightful than

"My goodness," said Hanid. "Were you able to write on the ice?"

"Certainly," said Mr. Punch. "It was just like writing on a blackboard, except that instead of writing with a piece of chalk with my hand, I wrote with my skates on my feet. I scratched the words in the smooth ice as I whirled this way and that way. It was quite interesting."

Couldn't Do It

"I bet it was hard," said Knart. "I once saw a man writing the figure eight on the ice but when I tried to do it, I couldn't do it at all. I just fell down."

"You didn't practise enough," said Mr. Punch. "I had no trouble at all writing my letter to Judy, all except at the very end."

"What happened?" Knart and Hanid inquired eagerly.

"Well," said Mr. Punch, "Judy, who lived in the next village, had asked me to drop around to her house the next day and help her eat a blueberry pie that her mother was baking. So instead of sending her a regular letter, telling her I would be delighted

Nice Ice-Letter

"Both," nodded Mr. Punch. "A nice ice-letter. Well, I finally finished writing the whole letter, making all the words beautiful and whirly. Then I signed my name, 'Punch.' And then I came to the period. Now, as everybody knows, you have to end every sentence with a period. So I sprang high into the air and came down on the tippy tip of one skate. Then I spun round and round like a top."

Mr. Punch sighed. "I never should have done that, for I made the period so deep that it became a hole in the ice, and the next second I slipped right through the hole into the water right down to the bottom of the lake."

"You must have gotten soaked and wet," said Mr. Punch. "But that wasn't the worst of it. The worst of it was that I caught a cold and missed that beautiful blueberry pie!"



Mr. Punch wrote on the ice with skates on his feet;

to come (for there is nothing better in the world than a large slice of blueberry pie after a day of ice-skating) I decided to write her an ice-letter—

"A nice letter?" said Hanid, smiling.

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Rupert and the Butterflies—31



Rupert hastily corks the phial and pockets it, and the two pals are hardly back in their places when the stranger returns looking very "tired." Snatching up his hat he puts it on; then he gruffly orders the two pals to get up, and holding them firmly by the shoulders, he marches them off.

"I know just the place to keep you safely hidden," he growls ominously. "We'll go to the quiet end of the wood." But he does not notice the curious thing that is happening round his head.

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GEORGE WHITING'S COLUMN

Forget All About Ray Robinson

London.

The big-money boys of the American thick ear trade, laughingly referred to as boxing, are preparing to put one across us in the Middle-weight Championship of the World.

Jack Solomons, he of the fish, is better informed than most on the strokes and stratagems of the international gore and glory business, but he will not, I hope, resent the straight tip that some of his New York pals are plotting to his very acute embarrassment by giving our Randolph Turpin the walk past.

In short, they are cutting around for two home-bred contenders against the day that Sugar Ray Robinson, at present absorbed in dance routines, decides that the soft shoe can be almost as profitable as the boxing boot—and a lot less painful, with people like Turpin about.

SIMPLE CITIZENS

What would happen if Robinson quit? Simple citizens like us, with a proper respect for law, order, and the income-tax man, would assume that Turpin of England and Charles Humez of France, acknowledged internationally as next best to Ralph Ray, would be accorded first bite at the world championship apple. Even the New York State

Athletic Commission and America's National Boxing Association could hardly cavil at such a simple solution.

But the vested interest boys, those barnacles clamped firmly on Broadway, would take no delight at all in watching the million-dollar middleweight title slip out of the USA without let or hindrance. That, they would claim, ain't official.

FAVOURITES

The longer Robinson stalls the world with his this-year-next-year-sometime-never stories, the longer will hard-eyed American promoters have to find a couple of puppets to pop in as eligible successors.

Favourites for the job at the moment are Carl (Bobo) Olson,

a 24-year-old Hawaiian from Honolulu, and Gene Halstron, a deaf-mute negro from New York's Bronx.

Such facts that Olson was beaten by the late Dave Sands, or that Halstron is a little hit-woman as a result of arguments with Laurent Dauthuille, Rocky Castellani and Walter Cartier will be elbowed out as petty inconveniences.

Nor, if I know them, will the fifty-per-centers be at all out of countenance should Halstron get himself hammered by Humez in Paris next month—though the making of such a match indicates that Gilbert Benaim, the French promoter behind Humez, is not unaware of possible American intentions.

Get moving Mr Solomons. Grab the signatures of Turpin and Humez for a 15 rounds fight at the title weight of 145 lbs., and put the contracts in your pocket. Then, if Robinson walks out or continues to dither, claim that Turpin v. Humez, clash as being for the championship of the world—and let the gold-diggers of Broadway whistle.

AFTER HIS BLOOD

After all, it would not be the first time Mr S. has had Madison Square Garden after his blood. Remember how, within 24 hours of Joe Louis's retirement, he had matched Bruce Woodcock and Leo Savory for the heavyweight championship of the world?

We laughed at his impudence—but 50,000 people turned up for the fight, and even the British Boxing Board of Control weighed in with a trophy and a speech.

Repeat the dose, Mr S. And if anybody wants to remind me that Turpin has yet to beat South Africa's super-stylish, George Angelo, at Harringway, October 21, my reply is that you can only legislate for the Gollaths of the boxing business, not the Davids.

PIONEER BLUES

Pioneering can be awfully painful, and it seems to me the soccer men of Oxford and Cambridge Universities may be hitting off more than they can comfortably chew in taking their annual match to Wembley on December 6.

The respective honorary treasurers, Oxford's Dr H. W. ("Pegasus") Thompson and Cambridge's W. J. Sartain, appealing for support from amateur clubs, schools and colleges, have noted that there is a "marked revival" of interest in soccer at the Universities.

But are there enough "marked revivalists" to make those vast Wembley terraces look reasonably well occupied?

ALL WELCOME

The universities take encouragement from the fact that Rugby League Cup finalists have increased their Wembley patronage from 41,500 spectators in 1929 to a capacity 100,000 today. They themselves, I understand, will be highly delighted if they can attract 30,000 supporters on December 6. Even those prepared to scoff will be welcomed.

I hope it keeps fine for one and all. I hope, too, that the football will be worth watching, with not too much kick-and-wish; also that not too great a percentage of the hoped-for 30,000 will be present as guests of the management.

Perhaps some of the rugged types will drop in. Or do they still recall Dr Thompson's remark about soccer being an intelligent man's game?

BY GEORGE.....

Did you hear about the business man-cricketer with three trays on his office desk—labelled: "In," "Out," and "Lbw"? The last, he explained, meant: "Let the blighters wait!"

(London Express Service)

Four Runners In Champion Stakes

London, Oct. 15.

The four runners for tomorrow's Champion Stakes over one-mile-and-a-quarter at Newmarket are, together with the jockeys, Dynamiter (E. C. Elliott), Signal Box (Douglas Smith), Tudor Castle (E. Mercer), and H. V. C. (Tommy Gosling).—Reuter.

ITALIAN BEATS PETER KEENAN

Pringle, Scotland, Oct. 15.

Amiato Falcinelli, of Italy, beat Peter Keenan of Glasgow, the British Bantamweight Champion, here tonight when Keenan retired at the end of the fifth of their 10 rounds contest with a badly cut right eye.—Reuter.

ARSENAL v. BLACKPOOL



Ray Daniel, the Arsenal centre-half, beats Stanley Matthews in a tackle during the match at Highbury which Arsenal won 3-1.

STAGE THE F.A. CUP FINAL ON BASEBALL LINES

Says PETER WILSON

If Soccer really wants to make more money and enable more people to see its "show game," the FA Cup Final, why doesn't it imitate the World Baseball Series held this year in New York?

The series is the best of seven games and is split between the grounds of the champion club of the American League and of the National League, and one game attracting 70,536 people brought in £113,695.

Despite all the "snags" involved, wouldn't it be a good idea if the Cup Final were made the best of three—with each club playing one match on its own ground and the final game held as usual at Wembley?

This would ensure more receipts, better payment for the players, and give at least twice as many people the chance of seeing a Cup Final rather than the "cozy coterie" which always seems to be at Wembley.

TOUR FATIGUE

We have to show the Soccer flag to the world, say the die-hards, but some of the teams who carried the flag last close season are beginning to think the cost is too high.

This is why I wrote from the Yankee Stadium, New York, in the middle of last June:—

"On the other hand, the Manchester United side is clearly as flat as a punctured tyre, and although the 'Spurs' return to Montreal full of confidence for the final match of their tour, I cannot help wondering how this side, which has been playing non-stop for ten months, is going to feel at the beginning of the season."

Now everyone knows, not only how the 'Spurs' feel—only ten points out of 11 matches played—but also Manchester United (eight points out of ten matches played), and also Cup winners Newcastle, who toured South Africa to no one's particular benefit (nine points out of ten matches played).

Quite frankly, I am sick and tired of these out-of-season tours and I don't have to play on them.

Everyone complains the fixture list is already overcrowded and then they go and arrange these pieces of ridiculous mid-summer madness.

Cut it out, I say—and I think that represents the view of the average fan.

RAW DEAL

I wonder if anyone has ever had a rawer deal than Randy Turpin seems to be getting—and always did get—from the American fight mob.

When Turpin upset his apple cart—no mention

Indians Accept Itinerary For The West Indies Tour

Port of Spain, Trinidad, Oct. 15.

The Indian cricket tour to the West Indies early next year now seems virtually certain to take place.

The West Indies Cricket Board have received a cable from the Indian Board of Control expressing their willingness to accept the original itinerary.

Usually reliable sources state the West Indies Board are making reservations for the Indian team to leave Jamaica for home shortly after the scheduled end of the tour on April 3.

Prospects of the tour being held were dubious previously, as the Indian Board had requested changes in the itinerary which were not acceptable to the West Indies.—Reuter.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

THIRD RACE MEETING 1952/53

Saturday, 25th and Wednesday, 29th October, 1952

(Held under the Rules of The Hong Kong Jockey Club)

The First Race will be run at 1.30 p.m. and the First Race will be run at 2 p.m. on the 1st Day.

On the 2nd Day the First Race will be run at 11.30 a.m. and the First Race will be run at 12 Noon. The 15th interval is after the Third Race (1 p.m.) on the 2nd Day.

There are 10 races on the 1st Day and 11 races on the 2nd Day (21 in all).

Through tickets (21 races—\$42.00) as well as tickets for the Cash Sweep on the 1st race of the Meeting may be obtained at the Cash Sweep Office of the Club at Telephone House, 1st Floor.

Through Tickets reserved for this meeting but not paid for by 10 a.m. on Friday, 24th October, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future meetings.

To avoid congestion at the Cash Sweep Office at Telephone House, non-members are requested to purchase their sweep tickets at the Clubs' Branch Offices at—

5 D'Aguiar Street, Hong Kong

382 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

TOTALISATOR, Kowloon.

The attention of Totalisator Investors is drawn to the following rules:—

Dividends will be paid on the winning and placed ponies as declared by the Stewards when the "All Clear" is given. The "All Clear" signal will be indicated by a white light at the Totalisator Tower. BACKERS ARE ADVISED NOT TO DESTROY OR THROW AWAY THEIR TICKETS UNTIL AFTER THE "ALL CLEAR" SIGNAL HAS BEEN EXHIBITED.

Totalisator Tickets should be examined and checked before leaving the Selling Counters as mistakes of any description cannot be rectified later.

Cash received in respect of Dividends should be checked before leaving the Pay-Out Counters as no claim for short payment of the value of tickets presented can be entertained once investors have left the Counters.

All winning tickets and tickets for refunds must be presented for payment at the Race Course on the day to which they refer, but none will be paid later than one hour after the time for which the last race of the day has been scheduled to be run.

In no circumstances will any Dividends be paid or refunds made unless a ticket is produced. Payment WILL NOT be made on torn or disfigured tickets.

MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE

Members and guests are reminded that they and their ladies MUST wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Badges admitting ladies not in possession of Brooches or Season Tickets and gentlemen, non-members of the Club, to the Members' Enclosure and the Club Rooms at \$10 per day including tax, for ladies or gentlemen are obtainable through the Secretary at Alexandra House, on the written or personal introduction of a Member, such member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for payment of all debts, etc.

Only a limited number of badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will be on sale at the Race Course.

The Branch Offices and the Treasurers' Comptroller Office will close at 11 a.m. on the 1st Day and at 10 a.m. the 2nd Day. The Secretary's Office will close at 11.45 a.m. the 1st Day and at 10 a.m. the 2nd Day. The Treasurer's Comptroller Office is situated at Telephone House, 1st Floor, and the Secretary's Office at Alexandra House, 8th Floor.

A limited number of tickets will be obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 27818).

NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MEETING.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The Price of admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$3 per day including tax for all persons including Ladies and will be payable at the Gate.

Any person leaving the Public Enclosure during a Meeting will forfeit his or her right of admission to the Enclosure and will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3 in order to gain re-admission.

No re-admission tickets will be issued.

BOOKMAKERS, TIC TAC MEN, ETC., WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO OPERATE WITHIN THE PRECINCTS OF THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

MEALS AND REFRESHMENTS WILL BE OBTAINABLE IN THE RESTAURANT IN THE PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

SERVANTS' PASSES

Servants' passes will be issued to private box holders only, who are requested to distribute them with discrimination and to endorse their names on the passes. Holders of such passes are not permitted in the Members' Enclosure except for passing through on their duties and must remain in their employers' stands.

Owing to the congestion in the Members' Betting Hall and at Booths adjacent to Boxes in the Coffee Room, Box-holders and Members are requested to ensure that their servants make use only of the Public Betting Hall. Military Police will be posted at various points in the enclosure to ensure that this regulation is adhered to.

By Order, H. MISA, Secretary.

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ON THE RECORD



The Lithgow Flash Enjoyed Herself

The Lithgow Flash, Marjorie Jackson, returned to Hong Kong yesterday on her way back to Australia after a trip to Japan which she thoroughly enjoyed.

She has equalled the world record of 11.4 seconds for 100 Metres set by Fanny Blankers-Koen in the Dutch Olympic trials on the 10th and has edged the German Olympic distance runner, Herbert Schade, on his way to acquiring the English language.

On tour with her in Japan were Herb McKenley, the Jamaican world record-holder in the 440 Yards and of the unluckiest man ever to take part in the Olympic Games, and the Brazilian hop, step and jump world record holder, Adhemar Ferreira da Silva.

As Schade did not speak English, the other three started teaching him. The Brazilian negro athlete, Marjorie told us, speaks fluent English. The Brazilian-Jamaican-Australian combination worked hard on Herbert Schade and the result, Marjorie said, was very amusing.

Marjorie found Japanese food trying. She is a plain eater, two of her favourites being chicken in the rough and ice cream. In the ice cream line she can be as steady as our own Olympic representative, Cynthia Eager. Marjorie's record is 13 in a row at Helsinki, which compares favourably with what Cynthia can do in this line.

Marjorie ran her first and only race in Hong Kong yesterday.

WATCH FOR "SNORKEL"

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"FOOCHOW"	Djakarta, Semarang, Sourabaya & Macassar	8 a.m. 23rd Oct.	
"SIANSI"	Singapore, Penang & Belawan	10 a.m. 23rd Oct.	
"FOYANG"	Keelung	8 a.m. 24th Oct.	
"SHENGKING"	Keelung	5 p.m. 25th Oct.	
"YUNNAN"	Tientsin	10 a.m. 26th Oct.	
"FAKHOT"	Yokohama, Nagoya, Osaka & Kobe	10 a.m. 30th Oct.	
Sails from Cusodian Wharf			
ARRIVALS FROM			
"HANYANG"	Tientsin	18th Oct.	
"SIANSI"	Kobe	20th Oct.	
"FOOCHOW"	Osaka	20th Oct.	
"SHENGKING"	Keelung	7 a.m. 22nd Oct.	
"YUNNAN"	Singapore & Saigon	22nd Oct.	
"FAKHOT"	Bangkok	27/28th Oct.	

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SAILINGS TO			
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"CHANGTE"	Sydney & Melbourne	23rd Oct.	
"TAIYUAN"	Sydney & Melbourne	11th Nov.	
"CHANGSHIA"	Japan	12th Nov.	
ARRIVALS FROM			
"TAIYUAN"	Australia & Manila	In Port	
"CHANGTE"	Kobe	21st Oct.	
"CHANGSHIA"	Australia & Manila	8th Nov.	
"TAIYUAN"	Yokohama	9th Nov.	

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"ELDERPHION"	Genoa, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg	23rd Oct.	
"ATREUS"	Liverpool & Dublin	25th Oct.	
"FELEUS"	Marseilles, Liverpool & Glasgow	8th Nov.	
"AUTOLYCUS"	Genoa, London, Rotterdam & Hamburg	25th Nov.	
"ANTIOCHUS"	Liverpool & Dublin	25th Nov.	

Scheduled Sailings from Europe			
Sails	Sails	Arrives	
"FELEUS"	Liverpool	17th Oct.	
"ALCINOUS"	Rotterdam	26th Oct.	
"ANTIOCHUS"	do	30th Oct.	
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"BATAAN"		20th Dec.	

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"BENMACDHUI"	Japan	9th Nov.
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"BENWYVIS"	U.K. via Singapore	23rd Nov.
"BENLAVERS"	Japan	28th Nov.

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"BENVORLICH"	Kure, Kobe and Yokohama. 18th Nov.
"BENWYVIS"	Direct to Singapore, thence Genoa, Havre, London and Hull. 27th Nov.
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Ceylon Moves To Combat Crisis

Colombo, Oct. 15.
Ten per cent surcharges on import duties on luxury and semi-essential goods and on assessed income tax and the doubling of the betting tax is included in an eight-point plan announced by Mr Dudley Senanayake, the Prime Minister of Ceylon.

Aim is to arrest the decline of the country's external assets, and to peg down the food subsidies to Rs.161,000,000—a ceiling now fixed by the Cabinet.

A quarter measure cut in the rice ration in all groups and an increase of the sugar price by 18 cents a pound are also among these measures. According to the Prime Minister, the measures proposed by the Government would send the cost of living index up only by two points.

Here are the proposals which the Premier announced to meet the financial crisis:
1.—Surcharges of 10 per cent on the existing import duties on certain luxury and semi-essential goods.
2.—Surcharges of 10 per cent on the assessed income tax for a period of a year.

3.—Doubling of the present rate of the Betting Tax.
4.—Continuance of recent increase of the price of sugar.
5.—Reduction of the price ration by 1/4 measure in all groups.
6.—Increase in the guaranteed price of paddy from Rs. 9 per bushel to Rs. 12; of maize from Rs. 7 to Rs. 7.50; of kurdikan from Rs. 75 to Rs. 7; and of sorghum from Rs. 7 to Rs. 8.

7.—Restrictions of imports from non-Sterling areas.
8.—Strict control of non-urgent expenditure appearing in the estimates for 1952-53 by about Rs. 100,000,000.

Meanwhile, the net cash deficit of the Government in the present financial year, which came to a close at the end of September, is estimated to be in the neighbourhood of Rs.350,000,000 which is an all-time record.

One of the chief reasons for this large deficit is the heavy expenditure on food subsidies which became bigger than expected towards the second half of the year owing to the sharp rise in the price of rice in the producer countries.

From the monetary point of view the deficit in the Government's operations caused private incomes to expand, with a resultant increase in the demand for imported goods, which has contributed to the worsening of the country's balance of payments. Ceylon has been confronted with an adverse balance of payments from the beginning of this year.—United Press.

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"CORFU"	16th October	17th November
"CHUSAN"	31st October	25th November
Via Southampton, Port Said, Aden, Bombay, Colombo, Penang & Singapore		
Homewards	Leaves Hongkong	Due London
"CARTHAGE"	24th October	24th November
"CORFU"	21st November	22nd December
"CHUSAN"	2nd December	29th December

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FREIGHT SERVICE

Outwards	From U.K.	for Japan
"SINGAPORE"	20th October	
Homewards	Loading	for
"SINGAPORE"	10th November	Singapore, Penang, Aden, Port Said, Genoa, Casablanca, Havre, London & Continent.

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	sails 2nd Nov.	for Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Aden, Port Said, Genoa, Casablanca, Havre, London & Continent.

(* These vessels have refrigerated cargo space)

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"ORMARA"	In Port	from Japan
	sails 10th Oct.	for Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Karachi & Persian Gulf
"OLINDA"	due 17th Oct.	from Bombay & Singapore
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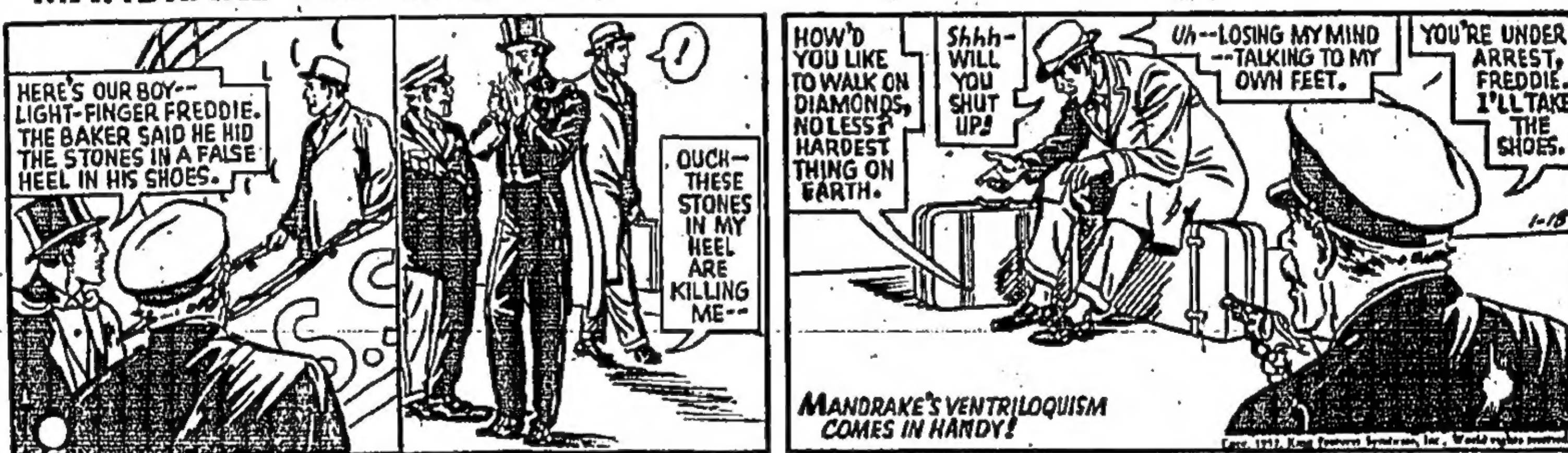
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RIDGWAY'S VISIT TO BRUSSELS

Brussels, Oct. 15.
General Matthew Ridgway, Allied Supreme Commander, said the Belgian Government and Chiefs of Staff had given him today a clearer comprehension of the Belgian conscription problem than he had before he arrived for his first visit here this morning.

The Belgian military service was recently reduced from two years to 21 months.

He told a Press conference that his Command recognized the complete right of the civil authority to make decisions of this sort.

Asked to comment on whether the Lisbon military targets will be met, General Ridgway said that "it is now apparent that in certain respects the full realization of all the Lisbon commitments for 1952 will not be met, but he added that "we have still got 2 1/2 months to go before the end of the year."

It was possible the Lisbon goals were "capable of complete fulfillment."

The General, who flew here this morning from London, had an audience with King Baudouin, lunching with Premier Van Houtte, and conferred with the Chiefs of Staff for over two hours.

Later, he left for Luxembourg, where he will spend tomorrow before returning to Paris.

Immediately after his arrival General Ridgway drove through crowded streets to see King Baudouin. Steel-helmeted police stood at street corners throughout the capital but there were no demonstrations.

The Supreme Commander, who was joined here by his wife, later laid a wreath on the grave of the Unknown Soldier.



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LISLE produced the letter but it hardly seemed relevant to the case. The magistrate said: "It's all very impressive, but I'm afraid I'm not inclined to believe that your friend is now behind the Iron Curtain. This is a case of four carefully thought-out thefts. You will go to prison for 14 days. We don't want you here and I shall recommend you for deportation."

Now it was Lisle's turn to look believing. She left the court like one in a trance, for a fortnight she would be living behind the Iron Curtain of another kind.

Detroit, Oct. 15. — Private children, Cockle, of the fashionable home of an attorney, who shot and killed a neighborhood cocker spaniel for crossing his landscaped lawn.

Carrying signs declaring "We want justice, and Skippy was an animal that put us in a bad way," the children paraded up and down the sidewalk in front of the home of Mr Maurice Rhodes, Rhodes, 57, was arraigned on a charge of cruelty to an animal and released on \$500 personal bond, said that the dog was his lawn and that he spent \$2,000 on landscaping." United Press.

Mr George Kennan, US Ambassador, whose "recall" to the US was requested by Russian plenipotentiary at the Press conference in the US High Commission Building, Bonn, Germany. Rumela alleged that Mr Kennan made "glaring attacks" on the Soviet Union. But America, in a Note, delivered to the Kremlin, charged the Soviet Government with grossly violating the traditions of customs of international law, and name developed over generations. The Note rejected as "unfounded" the reasons for forcing Mr Kennan to leave the Soviet Union. Rumela was right in his criticism of restrictions on Americans in Moscow. — London Express

INTELLIGENCE TEST SOLUTION

What we have to do, in effect, is to determine G's and D's. If G is in miles per hour, and D is in miles per hour, we have

$$1/m + 0.6/m = 1 + 0.6/d + 1/2m + 1/2d$$

whence $0.4m = 2m + d$

When $d = 0$, m was seven miles. At Sullivan's dynamo covered eight miles.

— **John C. Lester**, Service.

between was noticed. Then grabbed hold of him, accused went on, and he fell to the floor. He attempted to force the deceased to release her hold, but she hung on and knelt astride of him. Accused hit her up with his hands and forced her to release him. He got up and left the kitchen with the deceased following him and striding him at his back and head with the washing board. Inside the flat accused

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Philippines, N. Borneo, 4.30 p.m.
C.P.A.
Siam, Pakistan, Middle East
Africa, Great Britain, Europe, 6 p.m.
B.O.A.C.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17
 By Air
 Japan, Canada, U.S.A., 9 a.m. v
 C.P.A.L.
 Formosa, Japan, 2 p.m. C.A.T.
 Formosa, Okinawa, Japan, U.S.A.
 (Seattle & Western States) Canada
 4.30 p.m., H.K.A., N.W.A.L.
 Siam, Burma, India, Pakistan
 Ceylon, Middle East, Africa, Greece
 Britain, Europe, Malaysia, Indonesia
 Australia, New Zealand, 6 p.m.
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Hullavington, Oct. 15.
Four Royal Air Force men were killed today when a Wellington bomber crashed on taking off from Hullavington airfield.

The four killed were Pilot Officer L. J. Saunders and Sergeant Philipps, Flight Sergeant L. B. Hodges and Sergeant N. L. Pain-Reuter.

By Air
Malaya, Indonesia 4.30 p.m.
C.P.A.
Formosa, Japan, 2 p.m. C.A.T.
Siam, Pakistan, Singapore
Britain, Europe, 6 p.m. D.O.T.
C.P.A.
Macao, 2 p.m., as Tail Loy.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 16:
Philippines, Guam, Hawaii, U.S.A.
(San Francisco), Noon, via P.A.A.
C.P.A.
C.P.A., N. Borneo, 4.30 p.m.
Malaya, Indonesia, Australia, New Zealand.

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